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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:													
	1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.												
2.			UENT submission of items concerning a filing	under 35 U.S.C. 371.									
3.	⊠	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include itens (5), (6).											
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4.	Ø	The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).											
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6.	. ⊠	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).											
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7.	Ø	b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))											
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8.		An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).											
9.	×	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).											
10.	Ø	An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).											
11.	X	A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409).											
12.	Ø	A copy of the International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210).											
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13.	×	An Information Disclosure Stater	ment under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.	·									
14.		An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.											
15.		A FIRST preliminary amendment.											
16.		A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.											
17.		A substitute specification.											
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21.		A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).											
22.		Certificate of Mailing by Express Mail											
23.	Ø	Other items or information:											
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